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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Logistics

FROM:

Chief, Plans and Programs Staff, OL

SUBJECT:

Federal Facility Ridesharing Program

REFERENCE:

Temporary Regulation A-16, Federal Property

Management Regulations

- 1. The referenced General Services Administration (GSA) regulation prescribes procedures for the implementation of Executive Order 12191, dated 1 February 1980, which established the Federal Facility Ridesharing Program. In essence, this regulation requires Federal agencies to submit to GSA by 1 June 1981, a report of their progress in promoting employee ridesharing. This report entails completing GSA Form 3261 which identifies the location and total number of employees of each facility.
- 2. While declaring our support of the Federal Facility Ridesharing Program, we nonetheless obtained a waiver of this reporting requirement from GSA to avert disclosure of Agency personnel strength and locations of our facilities. However, to ensure compliance with the spirit and intent of Executive Order 12191, we have compiled the results of a recent ridesharing survey conducted by the Logistics Services Division. The results of this survey, which reflects, by facility, the number of participating employees in each of the multioccupancy modes of travel, are attached for your review. The bottom line is an impressive 48.1 percent employee participation in some form of ridesharing which far surpasses the current national ridesharing goal of 20 percent. Interestingly, if we were reporting, this would form the baseline from which future increases would be measured against, and it is questionable whether we could realistically achieve an additional 20 percent increase over this high baseline as suggested in the referent; but then, as we are not reporting external to the Agency, our ability to increase is academic.

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3. Since the ridesharing program affords an excellent opportunity for significant energy savings, it is suggested that it be kept in mind as a major item of accomplishment and possibly included in your next scheduled Agency Energy Committee meeting agenda.

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Attachments:

- A. Temporary Reg. A-16, FPMR
- B. GSA Form 3261C. Memo to Mr. Larry Frisbee, 21 Nov 80
- D. Agency Ridesharing Report

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